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REQUEST FOR CONTINUED EXAMINATION (RCE) TRANSMITTAL

This is a Request for Continued Examination (RCE) under 37 C.F.R. § 1.114 of the above-identified patent application. This RCE and the enclosed items listed below are being filed prior to the earliest of: (1) payment of the issue fee (unless a petition under 37 C.F.R. § 1.313 is granted); (2) abandonment of the application; or (3) the filing of a notice of appeal to the U.S. Court of Appeals for the Federal Circuit under 35 U.S.C. §141, or the commencement of a civil action under 35 U.S.C. § 145 or § 146 (unless the appeal or civil action is terminated).

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1.	Submi	ssion re	equired under 37 C.F.R. § 1.114: (check items that apply)					
	a.	Previo	usly submitted:					
		[]	Please enter and consider the amendment and/or reply previously filed on					
		[]	Please consider the Affidavit(s)/Declaration(s) previously filed on but not considered.					
		[]	Please consider the arguments in the Appeal Brief or Reply previously filed on					
		[]	Other					
	b.	Enclosed are:						
		[X]	Reply and Amendment under 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.113, 1.114 and 1.116 (24 pages).					
		[]	Affidavit(s)/Declaration(s).					
		[X]	Information Disclosure Statement under 37 C.F.R. § 1.56 (3 pages).					
		[X]	Form PTO/SB/08 (3 pages) listing 58 references, enclosing a copy of nine (9) Foreign Patent Documents.					
		[]	Other.					
Misce	llaneous	: :						
		[]	Suspension of action of the above-identified application is requested under 37 C.F.R. § 1.103(c) for a period of months.					

The filing fee is calculated below:

	Claims as Amended		Previously Paid For		ra Claims sent		Rate		Fee Totals
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[] The Applicants hereby petition for an extension of time under 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a) for the total number of months checked below:

[]	Extension for response filed within the first month:	\$120.00	0	\$0.00		
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[]	Extension for response filed within the third month:	\$1,050.00	•	\$0.00		
[]	Extension for response filed within the fourth month:	\$1,640.00		\$0.00		
[]	Extension for response filed within the fifth month:	\$2,230.00		\$0.00		
	EXTENSION FEE SUBTOTAL:					
	-	\$0.00				
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		\$810.00				
[]	Small Entity Fees Apply (subtract 1/2	-	\$0.00			
[]	Suspension of action requested under 37 C.F.R.	_	\$0.00			
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A credit card payment form in the amount of $\underline{\$810.00}$ to cover the filing fee is enclosed.

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees which may be required regarding this application under 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.16-1.17, or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 19-0741. Should no proper payment be enclosed herewith, as by the credit card payment form being unsigned, providing incorrect information resulting in a rejected credit card transaction, or even entirely missing, the Commissioner is authorized to charge the unpaid amount to Deposit Account No. 19-0741.

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